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**AFTER-FINAL AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

This Amendment is in response to the Examining Attorney's Office Action dated February 14, 2007, made "Final," and the subsequent Telephonic Interview that was conducted on March 15, 2007, and the Advisory Action that was mailed on April 19, 2007. Applicant thanks the Examining Attorney for the interview and welcomes further conversations to better clarify Applicant's positions once the present Amendment has been entered and reviewed and any further searches conducted in light of the Examiner's new understanding of the invention and the prior art.

Ultimately, in light of the following amendments and remarks, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the Application and immediate allowance of the pending claims.

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